Distribution of land to landless persons in Delhi

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of landless persons as identified upto October, 1987 in the Union Territory of Delhi;

(b) the total area of land as acquired for its distribution to such landless persons by the Administration, upto October, 1987;

(c) the total number if landless persons who have been allotted the land by the Administration and also the total number of beneficiary landless persons who have been given the actual possession of allotted lands upto October, 1987; and

(d) the total area of land as allotted and total areas as actually handled over by the Administration to the landless persons upto October, 1987; and how do they compare with the targets fixed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAMANAND YADAV): (a) Identification of landless persons is conducted keeping in view the land available for distribution in a particular village. Accordingly, 34,926 persons were identified as landless in U. T. of Delhi.

(b) Total land acquired for distribution under the Land Ceiling Act is 1,153.30 acres and 7,564.50 acres of arable and wasteland vested in Goan Sabha was available for distribution.

(c) Surplus ceiling land was allotted to 512 persons for agricultural purposes and 286 persons for house-sites. Physical possession of allotted ceiling surplus land has been handed over to 791 persons.

Gaon Sabha land vested in Gaon Panchayats has been allotted to 34,128 landless persons for house-sites and 6,971 persons for agricultural purposes. Actual physical possession has been delivered to 33,331 beneficiaries of house-sites and to 6,971 beneficiaries of agricultural land.

(d) Total surplus ceiling land allotted is 333.72 acres and area as actually handed over is 326.72 acres. Similarly, 7564.5 acres gaon sabha land was allotted for house-sites and agricultural purposes and actual possession was handed over in respect of 7,544.5 acres.

The achievements as target fixed is as under:—

Year	Target		Achievements	
	Surplus land in acres	G. Sabha land for house sites in number	Surplus land in acres	G. Sabha land for house sites in number
1982-83	N.A.	2000	N.A.	2406
1983-84	100	4000	143	4197
1984-85	80	4000	14	4603
1985-86	50	4000	42	3781
1986-87	30	4000	18	3790